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by deleting the following language from § 39-15-211(b)(4)(B) in SECTION 3:

Another physician who is not professionally related to the physician who intends to perform or induce the abortion certifies in writing that and substituting instead the following:

Another independent physician who is not associated in a practice with the physician who intends to perform or induce the abortion certified in writing that

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting § 39-15-211(b)(4)(C) in SECTION 3 and substituting instead the following:

(C) The physician performs or induces, or attempts to perform or induce, the abortion in a hospital that has appropriate neonatal services for premature infants. This requirement does not apply if there is no hospital within thirty (30) miles with neonatal services and the physician who intends to perform or induce the abortion has admitting privileges at the hospital where the abortion is to be performed or induced;

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting § 39-15-211(b)(7) in SECTION 3 and substituting instead the following:

(7) The applicable licensing board shall revoke the license of any person licensed to practice a healthcare profession in this state who violates subdivision (b)(1), in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5, without regard to whether the person has been charged with or has been convicted of having violated subdivision (b)(1) in a criminal prosecution. In any proceeding brought by the board of medical examiners or the board of osteopathic examination to revoke the license of a physician for violating subdivision (b)(1), a

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physician who has not been convicted in a criminal prosecution of having violated subdivision (b)(1) may raise the affirmative defense set forth in subdivision (b)(2).

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the language "§ 39-15-112" from § 39-15-211(c) in SECTION 3 and substituting instead "§ 39-15-212".